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In re Application of
Rohan Coelho :
Application No. 10/039,210 : DECISION ACCORDING STATUS
Filed: January 4, 2002 : UNDER 37 CFR § 1.47(b)
Title: REAL-TIME PRESCRIPTION
TRANSACTION WITH ADJUDICATION :
ACROSS A NETWORK :
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This is in response to the "Request for Reconsideration of Petition under 37 CFR § 1.47(b)," filed October 21, 2002.

The petition under 37 CFR § 1.47(b) is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application was filed on January 4, 2002, with an unexecuted declaration naming Rohan Coelho as sole inventor. In response to a "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" mailed February 5, 2002, rule 47 applicant filed the initial petition, asserting that status under 1.47(b) was proper because sole inventor Coelho has, by his conduct, refused to join in the application. The petition was dismissed because the declaration executed by Steven P. Skabrat was found unacceptable. Rule 47(b) applicant did not establish that attorney Skabrat had the authority to execute the declaration for patent on behalf of assignee Intel Corporation (Decision mailed September 3, 2002).

On instant request for reconsideration, petitioner submitted another declaration along with a statement that attorney Skabrat is authorized to sign on behalf of the assignee. This declaration has been reviewed and found acceptable.

This application is hereby accorded Rule 1.47(b) status.

As provided in new Rule 1.47(c), this Office will forward notice of this application's filing to the non-signing inventor at the address given in the petition. Notice of the filing of this application will also be published in the Official Gazette.

The application file is being returned to the Office of Initial Patent Examination for completion of pre-examination processing.

Telephone inquiries regarding this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (703) 305-0309.

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LETTER OFFICE OF PETITIONS

Dear Mr. Coelho:

You are named as the sole inventor in the above-identified United States patent application filed under the provisions of 35 U.S.C. 118 (United States Code) and 37 CFR 1.47(b), Rules of Practice in Patent Cases. Should a patent be granted on the application you will be designated therein as the sole inventor.

As the named inventor you are entitled to inspect any paper in the file wrapper of the application, order copies of all or any part thereof (at a prepaid cost per 37 CFR 1.19) or make your position of record in the application. Alternatively, you may arrange to do any of the preceding through a registered patent attorney or agent presenting written authorization from you. If you care to join the application, counsel of record (see below) would presumably assist you. Joining in the application would entail the filing of an appropriate oath or declaration by you pursuant to 37 CFR 1.63.

Telephone inquiries regarding this communication should be directed to Petitions Attorney Nancy Johnson at (703) 305-0309. Requests for information regarding your application should be directed to the File Information Unit at (703) 308-2733. Information regarding how to pay for and order a copy of the application, or a specific paper in the application, should be directed to the Certification Division at (703) 308-9726 or 1-800-972-6382 (outside the Washington D.C. area).

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